

BOWLIN POND
T5 R8, Penobscot Co.
U.S.G.S. Shin Pond, Me.

Fishes

Brook trout (squaretail)	Minnows (cont'd)
Eel	Pearl dace
White sucker	Redbelly dace
Minnows	Blacknose dace
Common shiner	Ninespine stickleback
Fallfish (chub)	Pumpkinseed sunfish
Creek chub	

Physical Characteristics

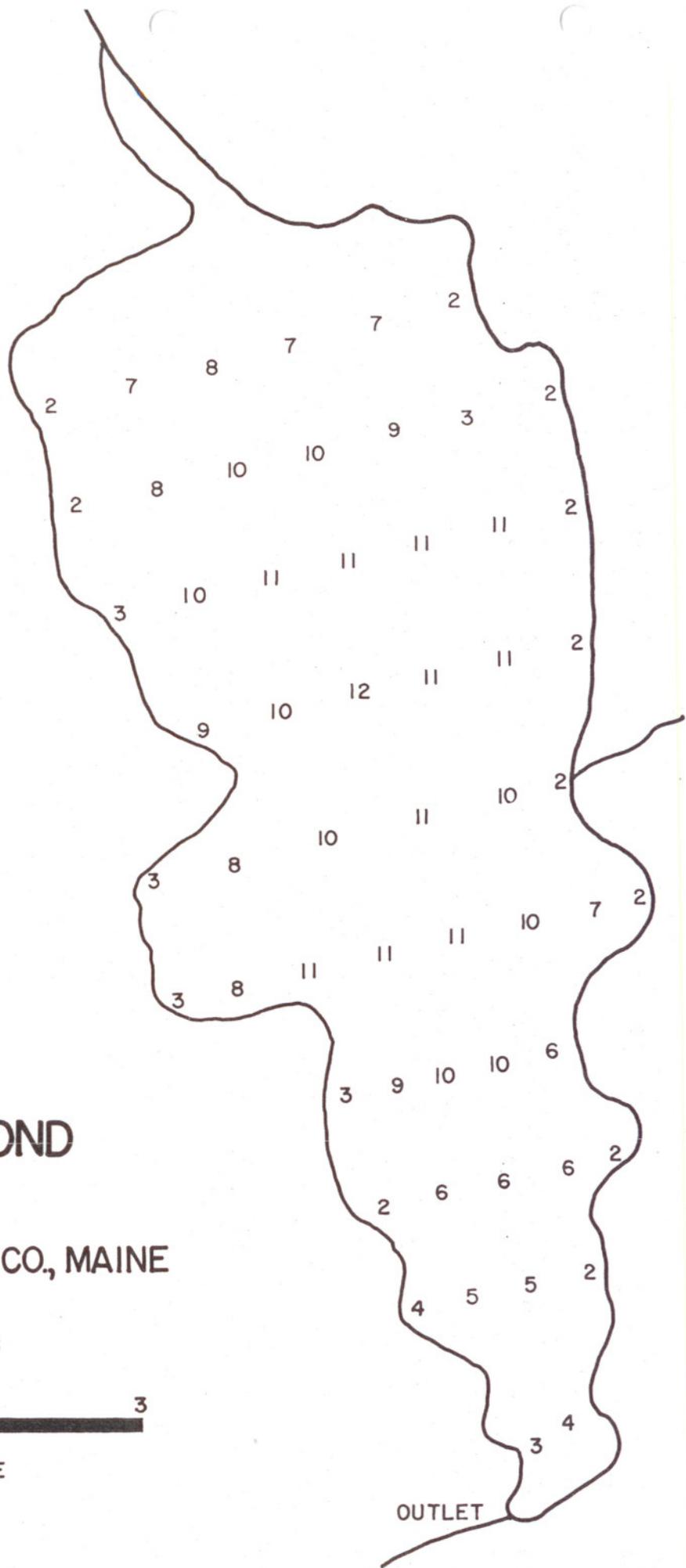
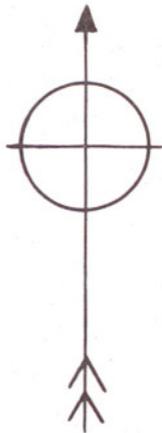
Area - 115 acres	Temperatures
	Surface - 69° F.
Maximum depth - 12 feet	10 feet - 68° F.

Suggested Management

Water temperatures of Bowlin Pond are nearly equal at all depths during the summer months. Trout seek areas of spring water influence and inlet brooks when pond temperatures become warm. Water quality conditions are considered borderline for trout.

The trout population of Bowlin Pond is maintained through limited natural reproduction. Trout production is reduced by competition for available food and space with large populations of suckers, minnows, and sunfish.

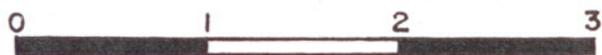
A series of natural falls on the outlet stream are considered impassable to upstream fish migration. Provision of fish passage facilities would not be economically feasible at the present time. Furthermore, if passage were possible, yellow perch, pickerel, and bass would be permitted access to the Bowlin Brook drainage from the East Branch Penobscot River below.



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TENTHS OF MILE

OUTLET